

THE TRUSTEES *of* RESERVATIONS

Preserving the Places America Loves to See 1998



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Who We Are

The Trustees of Reservations was founded in 1891 by a small group of open space visionaries led by landscape architect Charles Eliot, a protégé of Frederick Law Olmsted. Witnessing the dramatic loss to development of large amounts of open space in the Boston area, this group successfully campaigned for the establishment of what is today among the nation's oldest conservation organizations. Volunteer *trustees* who govern the organization are empowered to acquire and maintain publicly accessible landscapes across Massachusetts which are called *reservations*. Thus, our name,

The Trustees of Reservations.



Charles Eliot, Founder of
The Trustees of Reservations.

What We Do

We are a member-supported nonprofit 501(c)3 conservation organization which preserves, for public use and enjoyment, properties of exceptional scenic, historic, and ecological value in Massachusetts and works to protect special places across the state. Our mission includes protecting privately held landscapes through the use of perpetual conservation restrictions, and we frequently collaborate with other conservation groups and government agencies that share our mission. We also offer expert assistance and advice on land conservation techniques to both individuals and organizations.

What We Protect and Why

As of March 31, 1998, The Trustees owned and cared for 78 reservations totaling 20,255 acres of land and protected an additional 11,356 acres through perpetual conservation restrictions on 163 parcels of land.

Our reservations are diverse and include mountains and hilltops; forests and woodlands; river valleys and waterfalls; islands, coastlines, and barrier beaches; marshes, bogs, and swamps; open fields and meadows; and farms, historic houses, designed landscapes, and gardens. Four are National Historic Landmarks, eight are on the National Register of Historic Places, and one is on the National Registry of Natural Landmarks.

Collectively, these reservations offer a wide range of recreational opportunities, most of a passive nature, such as bird watching, nature study, canoeing, cross-country skiing, fishing, hiking, horseback riding, picnicking, swimming, house and garden tours, and assorted public events and activities.

Through their cultural and natural history, these landscapes tell the story of the interaction of people and landscape in what we today call Massachusetts. We believe that those who enjoy and draw inspiration from our reservations and understand our mission will become stewards with us in protecting additional special places across the state. Approximately one million people visit our reservations each year.

How We Are Supported

As a nonprofit organization—not an agency of state government—we rely for support entirely upon membership dues, contributions, grants, reservation receipts, special events, and endowments. We enjoy the support of hundreds of volunteers and over 19,000 members who live in Massachusetts, other parts of New England and the USA, and several countries abroad. Our permanent staff numbers 92, and we employ approximately 200 seasonal staff.



Long Hill in Beverly, Massachusetts serves as Headquarters of The Trustees of Reservations. Formerly the summer home of *Atlantic Monthly* editor, Ellery Sedgwick, and his wife, Mabel Cabot Sedgwick, the house at Long Hill was constructed in 1921 and contains original woodwork from the 1802 Isaac Ball House in Charleston, South Carolina.

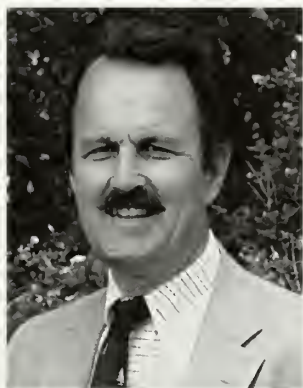
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THE TRUSTEES of RESERVATIONS 1998 ANNUAL REPORT

Dear Friends and Trustees:



As you read this year's Annual Report, you will be struck by the diversity of work now being undertaken by staff and volunteers of The Trustees of Reservations. All aspects of our mission are thoroughly engaged, and everyone's hard work is bringing impressive results.

Your support during the year enabled us to successfully protect 17 key parcels of land using virtually every tool in our land conservation tool box. Major additions were made to Bear Swamp in Ashfield, Appleton Farms Grass Rides in Hamilton, and the Shattuck Reservation in Medfield, and conservation restrictions were nailed down at The Brooks Estate in Medford, the Sachs Property in Carlisle, the Hunnewell Farm in Natick, and Stannox Farm in Sherborn, among others. Our Land Conservation Center continues to join in various collaborative conservation partnerships, and we are playing a role in hammering out integrated land conservation initiatives statewide. Our *Landscape Collections Plan*, now in development, augurs well for the success of these efforts.

Your reservations continue to receive praise for their very high standard of management. The year witnessed the opening of Turkey Hill in Hingham and Cohasset, a major planting program at Mytoi Garden on Martha's Vineyard, the completion of planning for landscape renovations at Rocky Woods in Medfield, and preliminary studies for better access and interpretation at Dinosaur Footprints in Holyoke.

Your ecology staff was pivotal in carrying out shorebird protection work on barrier beaches, initiating

a new prescribed burn program on the Islands, and conducting plant and animal inventories at several reservations across the state.

A number of important preservation projects were completed at your twelve historic houses, including stabilization of the Paine House at Greenwood Farm in Ipswich, restoration of parts of the Chinese Garden at Naumkeag in Stockbridge, and major repairs to the red barn at The William Cullen Bryant Homestead in Cummington. Great progress has also been made in conserving the historic collections at The Stevens-Coolidge Place in North Andover and Field Farm in Williamstown. And, let us not forget to mention, implementation of the Castle Hill Master Plan has begun in earnest.

The Trustees' Volunteer Involvement and Communications & Marketing programs—two major thrusts of the *Trustees 2000 Strategic Plan*—were launched this year, and we are already seeing positive results. A growing number of volunteers are playing an invaluable role in helping us to complete important work of all kinds, and we are becoming more effective in getting out the good word about The Trustees. Also emphasized in our strategic plan is the need to focus on the visitor experience. To this end, we are now offering a wider mix of interpretive events and activities—all publicized each quarter in our newsletter, *Special Places*.

It has been a very successful year for The Trustees, thanks to you—our loyal members, donors, and advocates.

Gratefully yours,

Frederic Winthrop
Executive Director

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John Kimball and his wife, Margaret, have expanded the Ward Reservation in Andover and North Andover from John's grandmother's original gift of 154 acres in 1940 to nearly 700 acres today. John was given The Trustees' highest honor, The Charles Eliot Award, at the 1997 Annual Meeting.

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A visitor enjoys the view from the Trilside Museum at the Rock House Reservation in West Brookfield, established in 1993 as The Trustees' 75th reservation.

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Life Trustee Mimi Batchelder leads a walking tour of Moraine Farm in Beverly during a public open day this past spring.

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The Historic Resources Committee toured the historic houses of the Western Region, including here at The William Cullen Bryant Homestead in Cummington.

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April 1, 1997 -

March 31, 1998

SOUTHEAST REGION

Despite bad weather, the popular opening last fall of Turkey Hill in Hingham and Cohasset testified to the strength of a partnership that included The Trustees, the Cohasset Conservation Trust (CCT), the Hingham Land Conservation Trust (HLCT), the towns of Hingham and Cohasset, the Massachusetts Division of Conservation Services, and, of course, the conservation-minded landowner, Joseph Saponaro, Jr. This project continued to win community-wide support well beyond the acquisition phase. With almost \$20,000 provided by the CCT, HLCT,



Turkey Hill officially opened to the public this past fall.

the Cohasset Garden Club, and the Hingham Garden Club, The Trustees planted a hedgerow, entrance grove, and knoll grove on top of Turkey Hill. As part of the joint management of Turkey Hill and adjacent Whitney and Thayer Woods, The Trustees also took the lead in constructing improved parking areas and permanent trails as well as refurbishing staff and maintenance facilities.



Southeast Region Project Supervisor Becky Siebens, Charles River Valley Superintendent Jeff Montgomery, George Preble, and John Thomas from Beals and Thomas, Inc., discuss Rocky Woods plans.

Improvements at Rocky Woods in Medfield are scheduled to begin this fall after an extensive and successful planning, engineering, and permitting process. Visitors and staff alike look forward to naturalizing the area around Chickering Pond, which will involve the removal

of the asphalt parking lot and several unused structures. In their place will be open meadows, waterfront picnic areas, a visitor center, and well-marked trailheads.

Meanwhile, with support from local volunteers Paul Horovitz, Pat Ternes, George Lewis, and Bunge and Sandy King, Regional Director Tom Foster and Charles River Valley Superintendent Jeff Montgomery invested many hours at evening meetings in Sherborn to develop satisfactory solutions to controversial parking issues. Some of our neighbors at Rocky Narrows were concerned about the safety and capacity of our parking area on Route 27, and, after extended discussions and a review of alternatives, community leaders agreed to the staffing and design improvements suggested by The Trustees and the Sherborn Traffic Safety Committee.

In Dover, where access to Noanet Woodlands is provided through the Town's Caryl Park, Tom Foster, Jeff Montgomery, and Paul Horovitz continued to work with the Park & Recreation Commission and other town officials to develop long-term parking solutions for both properties. Increased demand and use of our properties in Sherborn and Dover have precipitated the congestion of our parking areas and prompted The Trustees to begin an evaluation of how much use each property can reasonably sustain.

In Canton, we have been working closely with neighbors of The Eleanor Cabot Bradley Reservation



The Eleanor Cabot Bradley Reservation in Canton.

to resolve complicated access issues that have delayed plans to utilize the site for occasional functions and meetings. This effort has yielded a plan acceptable to all parties which provides a much safer way to enter and leave the reservation. Engineering work has now been completed, and we have applied to the Town for the permits necessary to move forward with the programmatic use of the house, garden, and grounds.

NORTHEAST REGION

At Castle Hill in Ipswich, the completion of a new master plan by a group of 40 volunteers and staff members has catalyzed our preservation efforts. A clear commitment was made to preserve and find compatible



The Bachelors' Quarters in the Casino complex at Castle Hill circa 1915.

uses for all the buildings at Castle Hill, and an impressive effort has already begun at the Casino and the Brown Cottage.

At the Casino, discussions with the U.S. branch of the Landmark Trust may result in the restoration of the Bachelors' Quarters and the Ballroom for use as a self-catering vacation retreat, adding to nearly 200 historic facilities marketed by The Landmark Trust throughout Europe and the USA. Restoration fundraising is already underway and includes a \$140,000 grant from the Massachusetts Historical Commission—its largest ever.

Meanwhile, a major donation and a careful feasibility study led to a decision to renovate the Brown Cottage at Castle Hill for use as a Trustees-operated bed-and-breakfast, with construction slated to begin in the fall of 1998.

Across town, several major construction and preservation projects have been completed at Greenwood Farm in Ipswich. Extensive archeological work at the Paine House turned up some 30,000 artifacts, helping to explain the house's early 18th century history and

suggesting rich interpretation possibilities for its anticipated opening next year. Important structural repairs were made and environmental conditions improved in the house. The 19th century farmhouse was converted for dual use as a staff residence and housing facility for six interns, and the barn was renovated for future use as a Visitor's Center.

Acquisition of a life interest at the Coolidge Reservation in Manchester-by-the-Sea has led to major landscape improvements and increased public access to the Ocean Lawn as well as construction of a small staff house and workshop.



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Steve Pierce puts finishing touches on the doors to the barn at Greenwood Farm in Ipswich.

With a firm commitment to manage Appleton Farms as a productive, working farm with significant public access, Regional Director Wayne Mitton and Associate Director of Planning and Ecology Lisa Vernegaard are working closely with a Steering Committee to develop a Management Plan. Meanwhile, a collection of family furnishings and other Appleton family memorabilia was removed for cataloguing and safe storage.

CENTRAL REGION

At The Old Manse in Concord, past planning resulted in major improvements to the house and surrounding landscape.

With a grant from the Massachusetts Historical Commission, major preservation carpentry work was completed on both the summer and winter kitchen floors, all of the historic window glass and sash, and several key structural beams. With generous financial support and detailed advice on historic finishes from The Old Manse Committee and community members, plans for reconstructing the Shay Shed were completed. After a comprehensive town review of our plans and an



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The Ocean Lawn at the Coolidge Reservation, Manchester-by-the-Sea.

From the Ocean Lawn, visitors can look across to Misery Islands in Salem Bay, where plans were made with a Salem-based passenger boat company to bring visitors to the island reservation. During the summer, seasonal staff will live on Great Misery to offer walking tours for visitors during the day and provide security at night. Funds were also raised to purchase and install a pair of composting toilets for use by visitors beginning in the summer of 1998.

The future acquisition of Appleton Farms in Ipswich and Hamilton (described more fully in the Land Conservation section) is providing a major planning and management challenge for our staff.



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The site of the 1842 vegetable garden at The Old Manse is plowed in preparation for planting.

extensive archaeological dig completed by the Center for Cultural and Environmental History at UMass-Boston, ground was broken, and construction began.

In cooperation with a local, non-profit organization called Gaining Ground, the site of the period vegetable garden, first planted in 1842 by Henry David Thoreau for Nathaniel and Sophia Hawthorne, was recreated using 19th century vegetable varieties. The first phase of a 3-year tree management program was also completed.

Regional Director Dick O'Brien and his staff collaborated with local volunteers from the Carlisle Conservation Foundation to install a handicapped-accessible trail, funded in part by a DEM Trails grant, at The Trustees' 79th reservation, the Malcolm Preserve in Carlisle (established in FY 1999). Other trail improvements resulted in improved access to Estabrook Woods via Two Rod Road.



Mountain laurel in bloom at Elliott Laurel in Phillipston.

At Elliott Laurel in Phillipston, selected clearing and careful pruning yielded an impressive and colorful spring display of mountain laurels, while heavier clearing uncovered historic sites at Brooks Woodland Preserve and the Swift River Reservation in Petersham.

Strong community support broadened an

active program to introduce area residents to the Rock House Reservation in West Brookfield, where a cooperative arrangement with a local power company resulted in major trail and roadway improvements and led to the clearing and planting of a butterfly meadow. The Trustees also played a supporting role in additional plantings, including a new rhododendron walk, at the Doyle Reservation in Leominster.



Central Region Director Dick O'Brien leads staff around Brooks Woodland Preserve in Petersham.

WESTERN REGION

Several key preservation projects were completed at Naumkeag in Stockbridge. Carpenters replaced the cedar shingles on the north gable end of this Shingle Style house, carefully duplicating the original scalloped and serrated designs of architect Stanford White.



Western Regional Historic Resources Manager Mark Baer leads Historic Resources Committee members around the Chinese Garden at Naumkeag.

Restoration work continued in the Chinese Garden as well, with support from the Lenox Garden Club for repair of the marble Spirit Walk. Inside the house, woodwork near the front entry was cleaned and conserved, and extensive research yielded a plan for replacement of the tin-foil ceiling in the dining room. A portrait of Joseph Choate, Jr., painted by Ellen Emmet Rand, was donated to Naumkeag and will be exhibited in the house.

Detailed documentation of a variety of plants and wildlife by Regional Ecologist Don Reid and intern

Darryl DeTour preceded the opening of 438-acre Questing in New Marlborough. A similar process in north Berkshire County involved volunteer Pam Weatherbee and may lead to next year's anticipated opening of Mountain Meadow Preserve in Williamstown.



The Red Barn at The William Cullen Bryant Homestead in Cummington rests gloriously in the surrounding landscape.

Windsor Management Unit Superintendent (and 1997 Employee of the Year) Jim Caffrey and his staff planned and completed several major projects at The William Cullen Bryant Homestead in Cummington. With funds from the capital budget and proceeds from the annual summer Crafts Fair, Jim supervised the painting of the red barn and restoration of its cupola, the installation of a new septic field, the replacement of the house's heating plant, and the replanting of a grove of pines behind the main house.

With assistance from an ad hoc committee of volunteers, Jim also spearheaded the planning of improved parking and visitor access to Dinosaur Footprints, a small reservation in Holyoke that offers the promise of unique interpretive programs and scenic views overlooking the Connecticut River.



Director of Property Management Dick Howe and Executive Director Fred Winthrop recognized Superintendent Jim Caffrey as 1997 Employee of the Year.

ISLANDS REGION

On Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket, Regional Director Chris Kennedy developed a productive collaboration with the Coast Guard that resulted in preservation and access to two prominent lighthouses. At Coskata-Coatue Wildlife Refuge on Nantucket, a revived guided tour featured views from the top of the Great Point Lighthouse. On the Vineyard, a newly restored lantern room and interior interpretive display greeted visitors to Cape Poge Wildlife Refuge.

Winter and spring storms battered the east side of Chappaquiddick, eroding more than 100 yards of prime fishing area at Wasque Point, further limiting vehicle access. The upland areas, however, are responding well to a new sandplain grasslands and heathlands management program that combines regular mowing and prescribed burns to restore globally rare wildlife habitat. The prescribed burn program, coordinated in conjunction with The Nature Conservancy and other members of the Sandplain Restoration Project, was also implemented on Nashawena Island, the largest conservation restriction held by The Trustees, and at Long Point Wildlife Refuge.



Several prescribed burns took place on Martha's Vineyard at Long Point Wildlife Refuge and Wasque to restore sandplain grasslands and heathlands.

Staff ecologists continued extensive plant and invertebrate inventories at Long Point Wildlife Refuge and Menemsha Hills as part of their long-range management plans. This work was aided by data collected by several Vineyard school groups participating in the Claire Saltonstall Education Program. Other student research projects, led by Interpretation and Education Coordinator Mary Merges, included monitoring changes in the beach profile and measuring changes in the salinity of Swan Pond at Long Point Wildlife Refuge as well as certifying vernal pools at Menemsha Hills.

Volunteer efforts and funding support led to the continued implementation of the restoration of Mytoi, the small Japanese-style garden on Chappaquiddick. New plantings included the Birch Walk and Camellia Dell.

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The Stevens-Coolidge Place Committee organized a very successful plant sale during the spring.

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MEMBERSHIP

Membership in The Trustees of Reservations continues to grow, with Fiscal Year 1998 showing an increase in household members of approximately 16% over Fiscal Year 1997. This steady rise must certainly be a positive sign that we are gradually overcoming our reputation as the "best kept secret in Massachusetts." Membership income for Fiscal Year 1998 increased by almost \$200,000 to \$1.2 million, paying for 15% of our total operating expenses.



*figures include members of giving societies and corporate members

already very strong, we are committed to making it even stronger. The year was spent exploring new and different ways to maximize the effectiveness of our current volunteers and, at the same time, increase the diversity of the volunteer opportunities we offer. In March, a hard-working committee of staff and volunteers formalized our program in a new initiative entitled *Opening Doors to Volunteer Involvement With The Trustees of Reservations*. As part of this initiative, officially launched in April 1998,



President Al Creighton recognizes Virginia Haywood of Topsfield, who gave over 700 hours to assist our Membership Office and was honored as 1997 Volunteer of the Year.

we will better publicize our volunteer involvement program, maintain an expanded and updated list of volunteer opportunities, and help to match people interested in volunteering for The Trustees with specific opportunities that meet their interests. Already, the response has been terrific. We look forward to involving a growing number of volunteers in all aspects of our important conservation work.

VOLUNTEER INVOLVEMENT

The support of volunteers has always been a hallmark of the success of The Trustees of Reservations. During Fiscal Year 1998, approximately 1,100 volunteers gave over 20,000 hours of their time in support of our mission. They assist us, for example, in maintaining trails, leading nature walks and historic tours, planning and coordinating public events, and performing office clerical duties. While volunteer involvement in the work of The Trustees is



High school students participating in the Landmark Volunteers Program spent two weeks working at Long Hill in Beverly.

COMMUNICATIONS & MARKETING

During the year, The Trustees developed a long-range strategic plan which will guide its communications and marketing program over the next ten years. The ultimate goal of the program is to provide The Trustees with the additional resources it will need to continue to achieve its mission in the years to come. To realize this goal, we recognize that we must demystify our name and identity; better explain the nature, scope, and importance of our work; and instill a greater appreciation for the special places we protect. We must also find new, compelling ways to reach out to a broader public, engage them in the pursuit of our mission, and reward their effort and interest. And, lastly, we must link people with places by encouraging them to visit our reservations in order that they may experience, first hand, the "refreshing power" of the landscape and, thereby, understand why our conservation work is so important to today's—and future—generations. If we can achieve these goals, we will garner wider support for our mission and, at the same time, perpetuate the sort of stewardship ethic needed to ensure the continued protection of the best of the Massachusetts landscape.

LAND CONSERVATION

Highlights and Projects Completed
April 1, 1997–March 31, 1998

In the summer of 1997, the Land Conservation Center embarked upon the *Landscape Collection Plan* thanks to a major gift by a long-standing supporter of The Trustees.

As directed by the *Trustees 2000 Strategic Plan*, the *Landscape Collection Plan* will establish a clear direction for The Trustees' land conservation and historic preservation efforts over the next twenty years. This widely inclusive process reaches out across the state to

Trustees members, volunteers, and staff—as well as to numerous conservation partners—to establish geographic priorities and nominate specific areas and landscapes that deserve permanent protection using

one or more of the assorted land protection techniques available. Spurred on by intense pressures on open space and rising land values, we are even more committed to carrying out this ambitious, two-year planning process, thus advancing the significant conservation momentum which has been growing in recent years.

During Fiscal Year 1998, the Land Conservation Center completed 17 projects protecting 487 acres of land. These projects included six additions to existing reservations (67 acres), nine conservation restrictions (338 acres), and two additional projects (82 acres) by The Trustees' affiliate, the Massachusetts Land Conservation Trust (MLCT). In addition, gifts of partial interests in two properties—Turkey Hill abutting Whitney and Thayer Woods in Cohasset and Coskata/Coatue on Nantucket—were realized. Ownership of the 700-acre Appleton Farms in Ipswich and Hamilton will be conveyed to The Trustees in September 1998, allowing us to undertake urgent capital improvement projects and plan for the official opening of the property—our 80th reservation—in the summer of the year 2000.

These successes would not have been possible without the help of many landowners, volunteers, and staff from every region of the state. Year in and year out, the

generosity and commitment we observe confirm the enduring vision of Charles Eliot who knew that success depended on conservation-minded owners of special places across the Commonwealth being inspired to protect them in perpetuity as a legacy of our natural and cultural heritage.

APPLETON FARMS ENTERS A NEW ERA

While the summary of land conservation projects described in the rest of this report is quite impressive, by far the most significant event of the year was Mrs. Joan E. Appleton's decision, announced in February 1998, to relinquish, as of August 31, 1998, her life interest in 700-acre Appleton Farms in Ipswich and Hamilton. This enormously generous decision means that ownership and management responsibility for Appleton Farms—established in 1638 and reputed to be the second oldest single family-owned farm still operating in the United States—will pass to The Trustees on September 1, 1998. At that point, The Trustees will begin in earnest the difficult and complex task of restoring the property to its former splendor, enhancing its agricultural operations, providing public access, and



Appleton Farms in Ipswich and Hamilton.

interpreting for visitors its long and rich history. The greatest of all challenges, however, will be to place the farm on sound, sustainable financial footing to guarantee its future. (Because the actual transfer of ownership of Appleton Farms to The Trustees will occur in Fiscal Year 1999, acreage is not included in Fiscal Year 1998 totals.)

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Conservation Planner Chris Rodstrom discusses recent progress on the *Landscape Collection Plan*.

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Appleton Farms Grass Rides, Hamilton: Accompanying the gift of her life interest in Appleton Farms, Mrs. Joan E. Appleton donated 30 acres of woodland on Cutler Road to complete Appleton Farms Grass Rides, a reservation first established in 1970.

Misery Islands, Salem Bay: A successful local fund raising campaign enabled The Trustees to purchase from the Taygeta Corporation the final 3-acre parcel of privately-owned land on Great Misery Island. This purchase—made on generous terms—was facilitated by Taygeta Director Stephen Connolly, who has a long-standing interest in our work on Misery Islands.



The Trustees now protects all of Misery Islands in Salem Bay.

Greenwood Farm, Ipswich: Mrs. Sophie Villanti of Beverly donated 3 acres of open field off Jeffrey's Neck Road on Greenwood Farm's northern border.

The Stevens-Coolidge Place, North Andover: MLCT conveyed to The Trustees one acre of land on Academy Road. This is a portion of the 12 acres donated in Fiscal Year 1998 to MLCT by Robert and Samuel Stevens to enable, with assistance from The Society for The Preservation of New England Antiquities, the protection of the historic circa 1818 Reverend Bailey Loring House and its surroundings, visible from nearby Weir Hill. The remaining 11 acres will be conveyed to The Trustees when two lots on Stevens Street (totaling just over an acre) have been sold.

SOUTHEAST

Shattuck Reservation, Millis: MLCT conveyed to The Trustees Marsh Point, 11 acres of scenic woods and marshland on the Millis side of the Charles River to be added to the Shattuck Reservation. MLCT purchased this parcel at a bargain price from the Paine Family Realty Trust in 1993. Funds from the sale of the DeAngelis property in December 1997 were used to repay the loan from the Revolving Fund, which made this acquisition possible.

WEST

Bear Swamp, Ashfield: With timely fund raising efforts from the Ashfield Properties Committee, The Trustees purchased 14 acres and MLCT purchased and conveyed to The Trustees five additional acres to be added to Bear Swamp. An additional 21.5 acres were protected as well (see Gifts to MLCT section).

CONSERVATION RESTRICTIONS (CR)

SOUTHEAST

Hunnewell Property, Natick and Wellesley: Extending the extraordinary conservation leadership of the Hunnewell family, Francis O. Hunnewell donated a CR on 21 acres of mostly forested land within the Lake Waban viewscape. This CR helps to protect the scenic character of Pond Road just to the west of Lake Waban.

Stannox Farm, Sherborn: David and Jane Howland donated a CR on 108 acres of this highly scenic property, including extensive meadows and wetlands feeding Bogastow Brook, a major tributary of the Charles River.

Brooks Estate, Medford: The City of Medford donated a conservation and historic preservation restriction on 50 acres of this historic estate. The restriction is jointly held by The Trustees, the Massachusetts Historical Commission, and the Metropolitan District Commission.



The Brooks Estate in Medford.

CENTRAL

Sachs Property, Carlisle: The Trustees accepted, along with the Carlisle Conservation Foundation (CCF), a CR protecting 44 acres of this critical parcel of woodland, wetland, and meadow abutting historic Two Rod Road in Estabrook Woods. At a very generous bargain sale, CCF purchased the CR from Jonathan and Winifred Sachs.



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The Sachs Property in Carlisle.

Kilguss Property, Rehoboth: Howard and Kathryn Kilguss donated a CR on 40 acres of their horse farm, an important scenic feature in this southeastern Massachusetts community.

Smith's Creek, Barnstable: Specially donated funds helped The Trustees to purchase from Bonnie and Herbert Hinckley a permanent CR on 17 acres of this diverse property, which includes upland forest and meadow, springy seeps, and brackish and salt marsh at the edge of the Great Marshes of Barnstable.

Turkey Hill, Hingham and Cohasset: Protection of 50-acre Turkey Hill, adjacent to Whitney and Thayer Woods, was a collaborative effort including acquisition by the two towns with financial assistance from the state's Self-Help conservation program and fundraising efforts by the Cohasset Conservation Trust, the Hingham Land Conservation Trust, and The Trustees. The two towns each donated to The Trustees a CR on their respective portions of the property.

THE ISLANDS

Harris Property, Chilmark: The Nathaniel Harris family donated a CR on 4 acres protecting the western border of Menemsha Hills.

Morash Property, Edgartown: The Richard Morash family granted, at a bargain price, a CR on 4 acres of oceanfront property abutting Cape Poge Wildlife Refuge.

GIFTS TO MLCT

CENTRAL

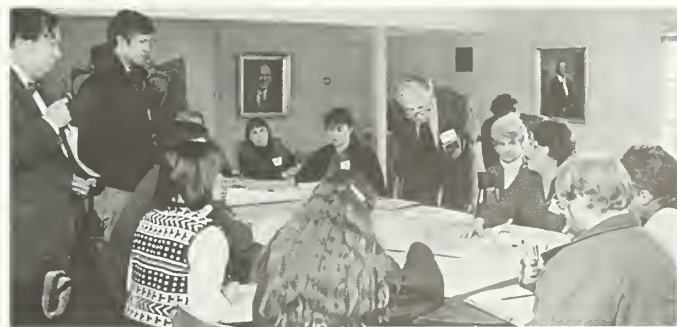
Bancroft Property, Tyngsborough: J. Kendall and Callie Y. Bancroft donated this 56-acre woodland and wetland to MLCT for establishment of a new reservation (if additional land and funds can be obtained) or for conveyance to the Town of Tyngsborough as permanent public open space.

WEST

Dupree Property, Ashfield: Thanks to a generous landowner and strong local fundraising by our Ashfield Properties Committee, MLCT was able to purchase a 13-acre house lot in Ashfield and resell 8.5 acres to Richard Smith, the apple grower who had cultivated the orchard on the property for 20 years, retaining an Agricultural Preservation Restriction (APR) for eventual resale to the state. The remaining 4.5 acres of woodland was transferred to The Trustees and added to Bear Swamp. Neighbors, Richard and Melinda Gougeon, generously donated an APR on their 13 acres, which includes the other half of the orchard managed by Mr. Smith.

COLLABORATIVE LAND CONSERVATION PROJECTS

In the spirit of the Trustees 2000 Strategic Plan, The Trustees participated in a wide range of important collaborative land conservation projects during Fiscal Year 1998. These included:



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Participants in the January 29th conference on land conservation discuss future land protection options and strategies.

January 29th Conference on Land Conservation in Massachusetts. As the opening event in the *Landscape Collection Plan* process, the Land Conservation Center organized this exploration of the status and priorities of the state's public and private conservation efforts. Co-sponsored with the Executive Office of Environmental Affairs and held at the Tower Hill Botanic Garden in Boylston, the conference drew 97 land protection and historic preservation specialists from state agencies, land trusts, and conservation and historic preservation organizations around the state.

1998 Massachusetts Land Trust Conference. Organized by the Land Conservation Center, the 9th annual Massachusetts Land Trust Conference was held at Tower Hill Botanic Garden in Boylston and drew a record 180 participants. State Secretary of Environmental Affairs Trudy Coxe opened the Conference with a call for a Blue Ribbon Panel on the future of the state's public/private commitment to open space protection.

Massachusetts Land Trust Coalition: Passing the Baton.

After 6 years as Chair of the Coalition, Director of Land Conservation Wes Ward passed the gavel to Stephen Johnson of The Sudbury Valley Trustees. Virginia Slack, Administrative Coordinator of The Land Conservation Center, will continue to maintain the mailing list of Massachusetts land conservation organizations, and the Center's conservation staff will continue to provide assistance and encouragement to land trusts throughout the state.

McLean Hospital Open Space Alliance, Belmont.

Director of Land Conservation Wes Ward continued to assist the McLean Hospital Open Space Alliance, led by Judy Record, to focus public attention on the conservation value of 145 acres of open space surrounding the historic and architecturally significant McLean Hospital campus. In response to a request from the official, town-appointed McLean Hospital Land Use Task Force, we prepared a management concept and budget for the open space that would be protected under a complex development plan proposed by McLean and its parent company, Partners HealthCare.



The Martha's Vineyard Conservation Partnership includes representatives from The Trustees, The Nature Conservancy, The Sheriff's Meadow Foundation, and The Vineyard Conservation Society.

Martha's Vineyard Conservation Partnership. The Trustees has joined three other Island conservation organizations and the Martha's Vineyard Land Bank Commission in a cooperative effort to double the rate of land protection on the Vineyard. Without an increased land protection effort, the environmental integrity and unique qualities of this island will be substantially degraded as development accelerates.

The Trustees limits its conservation advocacy program to matters of direct relevance to our mission. Within these limits, we are working to increase our effectiveness as advocates for statutory and policy changes to encourage more widespread conservation and historic preservation. Two directly relevant issues are The Trustees' proposed amendments to the state's Landowner Liability statute and Conservation Restriction and Agricultural Preservation Restriction statutes; they have been our legislative priorities for several years.

Conservation Restriction and Agricultural Preservation Restriction Acts Amendments. We have continued to work for passage of several important, technical amendments to these two statutes. In spite of their non-controversial nature and strong support from both our Corporate Trustees and conservation colleagues from around the state, we have not been able to move the bill beyond the House Ways and Means Committee. Unfortunately, these matters are not the stuff of which political careers are made, and we have been unable to enlist the support of a legislative champion close enough to the political leadership to pave a way forward. We are reviewing our strategy for the upcoming legislative session.

Landowner Liability Act Amendments. For several years, The Trustees has worked for changes in the state's Landowner Liability statute, which protects owners (including The Trustees) from liability for injuries incurred by people who visit public open spaces where entry fees are not charged. While the current law has been interpreted favorably by the courts, many feel that the language is confusing and outdated. Many landowners cite the lack of stronger and clearer protection as the reason for disallowing public use of their property, including trail access. Thanks to strong support from our Corporate Trustees, as well as from our land trust colleagues across the state, including the Bay Circuit Alliance, the Massachusetts Audubon Society, and the Environmental League of Massachusetts, our proposed amendments have been enacted into law. Sarah Cole, Land Conservation Program Assistant, has coordinated this work with great energy and strategic insight.



CONSERVATION RESTRICTIONS, HISTORIC PRESERVATION RESTRICTIONS, & AGRICULTURAL PRESERVATION RESTRICTIONS

Through March 31, 1998

Date First Acquired	Approximate Acreage
1972	Charles River, Sherborn (5) 135
1973	Longacre Farm, Medfield
1973	Prospect Hill, Chilmark
1973	Brooks Woodland Preserve, Petersham (8) 23
1973	Castle Neck River, Ipswich and Essex (15)
1974	Lake Waban, Wellesley and Natick (7) 112
1974	Mayhew Island, Chilmark 7
1975	Charles River, Dedham and Westwood (3) 156
1975	East Hollyholm, Chilmark 75
1975	Seven Gates Farm, Chilmark and West Tisbury (7) 1,257
1975	Trout Brook, Dover (2) 118
1976	Bothways Farm, Essex 99
1976	Charles River, Millis and Medfield (2) 29
1976	Ipswich River, Ipswich (2) 15
1976	Nashawena Island, Gosnold 1,900
1976	Tiah's Cove, West Tisbury 65
1977	Rockhouse, West Brookfield
1977	Tuckernuck Island, Nantucket (6) 298
1977	Noanet Brook Woods, Dover 15
1978	Bogastow Farm, Millis 85
1978	Cape Ann Golf Course, Essex 100
1979	Stevens Field, North Andover 11
1979	Charles River, Wellesley (3) 31
1980	Holly Hill Farm, Cohasset (2) 119
1980	North River, Norwell and Marshfield (2) 167
1980	Parkinson Property, Medfield 82
1980	Halibut Point, Rockport 13
1981	East Branch, Westport River, Westport (2) 32
1983	Wauwinet, Nantucket 12
1984	Menemsha Hills, Chilmark (5) 74
1984	John Wise Avenue, Essex (APR) 70
1984	Charles River, Needham (4) 56
1985	Mill Farm, Dover 40
1985	Mattapoisett Harbor, Mattapoisett 42
1985	Clark Farm, Sunderland (APR-3) 80
1986	Bartholomew's Cobble, Salisbury, CT (3) 539
1986	Great Island, Yarmouth (2) 266
1986	Monument Mountain, Great Barrington 20
1988	Nashaquitsa, Chilmark 75
1988	North Road, Monterey/ New Marlborough (6) (CR/HPR) 2,314
1988	Capt. Daniel Bradford House, Duxbury (HPR) 8

Date First Acquired	Approximate Acreage
1988	Rattlesnake Hill, Bolton (5) 152
1989	Manchester Coast, Manchester (3) 63
1989	Palmer River, Rehoboth (2) 110
1989	Weweantic River, Marion (2) 10
1989	Blue Hills Reservation, Milton (2) 67
1989	Wilder Farm, Bolton (2) 33
1990	Turner Hill, Ipswich 102
1990	Wigwam Hill, West Brookfield 63
1991	West Branch, Westport River, Westport (6) 108
1991	Moraine Farm, Beverly (CR/HPR) 176
1991	Charles River, Dover 8
1992	Upland Farm, Cummington 32
1992	Maple Hill Farm, Hardwick 181
1992	Thornhill Farm, Essex (2) 101
1992	Wenakeening Woods, Holliston (2) 102
1993	Chase Woodlands, Dover 10
1994	Apple Knoll Farm, Millis 268
1994	North Road, Chilmark 53
1994	Osamequin Farm, Seekonk and Rehoboth 241
1994	New Marlborough Village, New Marlborough 24
1994	Pakeen Farm, Canton 145
1994	Broad Meadows, Stockbridge 48
1995	Lake Cochituate, North Andover 30
1995	McLennan, Tyringham 6
1995	Farandnear, Shirley 81
1997	Estabrook Woods, Concord and Carlisle (4) 307
1997	Potash Brook, Williamsburg 66
1997	Smith's Creek, Barnstable 17
1997	Cape Poge, Edgartown 4
1997	Stannox Farm, Sherborn 108
1997	Turkey Hill, Hingham and Cohasset (2) 50
1998	Brooks Estate, Medford 50

Total Restrictions 163

Total Acres Protected 11,356

APR - Agricultural Preservation Restriction

CR - Conservation Restriction

HPR - Historic Preservation Restriction

NOTE: Number of perpetual restrictions shown in parentheses () if greater than one beginning with the date of first acquisition.
Parcels of land where no acreage is listed above have been added to existing reservations and are reflected in count on page 32.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Highlights
April 1, 1997 – March 31, 1998

The Trustees of Reservations' financial position remains strong, as the organization continues to support its growing annual operations and implement initiatives outlined in its long-range strategic plan, *Trustees 2000*.

Total income from operations increased to \$8,013,000, while expenses were \$7,270,000, resulting in an operating surplus of \$743,000 that will be used for capital expenditures and major one-time projects. This year, we again succeeded in our objective of generating enough operating revenue in excess of operating expenses to allow us to make further progress in improving our reservations and reducing deferred maintenance.

I am pleased to report that all revenue sources exceeded goal for the year. Contributions/Grants, driven by our two Giving Societies, grew from \$1,080,000 to \$1,203,000, an increase of 11% over FY 1997. Membership income has increased from \$1,027,000 to \$1,207,000, a robust 18% increase over FY 1997.

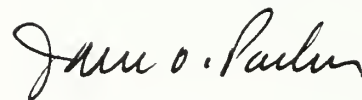
Our continuing effort to broaden our base of support is showing positive results. Reservation and events receipts totaled \$2,794,000 for the year versus \$2,460,000, an increase of 14% over FY 1997. As you may recall, the weather during the fiscal year was excellent, and all beach properties exceeded targets.

Operating support from endowment increased from \$2,439,000 to \$2,809,000, an increase of 15% over FY 1997.

Budgeted expenses for the year were \$7,262,000 versus actual expenses of \$7,270,000, a minimal variance of \$8,000. Our diligence in the budget process and careful monitoring of progress during the year contributed significantly to this result.

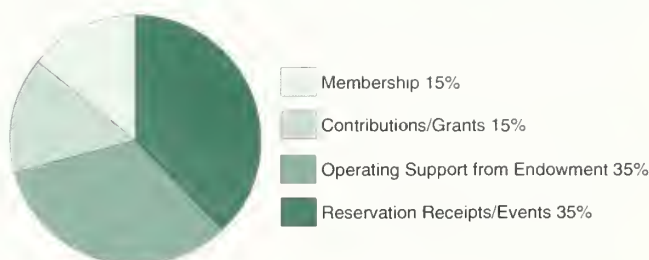
Our endowment funds continue to grow primarily due to strong investment performance. The market value at the end of the fiscal year exceeded \$81,000,000.

Donors, staff, and volunteers of The Trustees should take great pride in our sound financial position. Thanks to you, we had an exceptional fiscal year in all areas of our operations throughout the state.

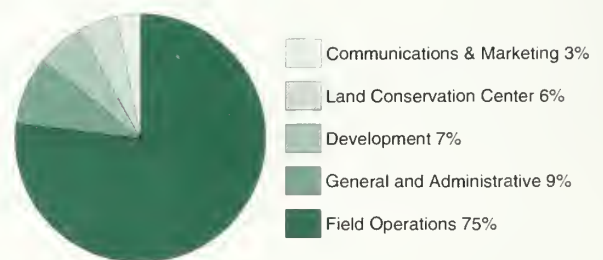


John O. Parker
Treasurer

SUMMARY OF FY 1998 INCOME



SUMMARY OF FY 1998 EXPENSES



Operating Fund Results

(In Thousands of Dollars)

	FY 1998	FY 1997	% Change
INCOME			
Reservation Receipts/Events	\$2,794	\$2,460	+14%
Operating Support from Endowment	2,809	2,439	+15%
Contributions/Grants	1,203	1,080	+11%
Membership	1,207	1,027	+18%
Total Income	\$8,013	\$7,006	+14%
EXPENSES			
Field Operations	\$5,430	\$5,104	+6%
General and Administrative	682	619	+10%
Development	497	447	+11%
Land Conservation Center	414	369	+12%
Communications & Marketing	247	164	+51%
Total Expenses	\$7,270	\$6,703	+8%
NET FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS	\$743	\$303	

Endowment Market Value

(In Thousands of Dollars)

	FY 1998		
	The Trustees	Budd Trusts*	Total
Beginning Balance	\$50,056	\$12,644	\$62,700
Contributions/Other Additions	326	0	326
Appreciation (Realized, Unrealized)	<u>15,505</u>	<u>2,869</u>	<u>18,374</u>
Total as of March 31, 1998	\$65,887	\$15,513	\$81,400

	FY 1997		
	The Trustees	Budd Trusts*	Total
Beginning Balance	\$44,349	\$11,597	\$55,946
Contributions/Other Additions	963	0	963
Appreciation (Realized, Unrealized)	<u>4,744</u>	<u>1,047</u>	<u>5,791</u>
Total as of March 31, 1997	\$50,056	\$12,644	\$62,700

*The Budd Trusts are separate endowment funds created in 1966 by Lieutenant Colonel Arthur D. Budd to benefit The Trustees of Reservations.

NOTE: Copies of the audited financial statements are available upon request.

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(as of March 31, 1998)

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The Giving Societies were created to honor individuals, foundations, companies, and institutions which provide leadership levels of annual giving to The Trustees of Reservations. The Governing Board and staff of The Trustees extend our deepest gratitude both to members of The Charles Eliot Society and to its chair, Henry R. Guild, Jr., as well as to membership of The 1891 Society and its co-chairs, Caroline Standley and Jonathan Loring. The extraordinary generosity of our Giving Society members and their ongoing commitment to leadership levels of annual giving have led to record-breaking annual support during Fiscal Year 1998.



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Gift Income

	FY 1998		FY 1997	
	Amount	Donors	Amount	Donors
Contributions and Grants	\$1,202,717	2,802	\$1,080,362	2,910
Membership Dues	1,206,784	18,939	1,026,843	16,586
Gifts for Special Purposes*	<u>1,868,770</u>	<u>1,371</u>	<u>3,168,622</u>	<u>782</u>
Total	\$4,278,271	23,112	\$5,275,827	20,278

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Sculptures ornament the landscaped grounds around Field Farm in Williamstown.



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Steffen and Hattie Plehn at their home in Worthington.

Steffen Plehn and his wife, Hattie, live in the hilltown of Worthington in a house they built two years ago. Their view takes in distant hills, pastureland, and birch-bright woodlands, with not a neighbor in sight. "This is a remarkable part of the world," says Hattie. "We are both very glad to be back in New England where we grew up. We are enjoying the beauty and community of Worthington and its nearness to cultural opportunities."

Longtime residents of Washington, D.C., they began building their house when Hattie became an immigration judge in Hartford, Connecticut. When the house neared completion, Steffen retired from environmental consulting. He now works as an aide to the local state representative.

In 1991, Steffen and 25 other members of the Plehn and Scheffey

families gave a conservation restriction to The Trustees on 553 acres in Monterey and New Marlborough. "We are still amazed at our success in achieving agreement of 26 individuals to a long-term approach to managing this family property," he says. "The Trustees were very helpful during the project."

Recently, Steffen and Hattie created a charitable remainder trust. They will receive income for their lifetimes from the trust, after which time a significant portion of the trust's assets will be transferred to The Trustees. "We were fortunate to have a stock that had appreciated substantially," says Steffen. "Through the charitable remainder trust, we avoided capital gains, obtained a tax deduction, and secured current income, all while making a gift to further the work of The Trustees. It's an excellent arrangement."

You, too, may wish to set up a charitable remainder trust, create a charitable gift annuity, or explore other giving arrangements that provide income for life to you or a designated beneficiary. Perhaps you are interested in making a provision in your will to benefit The Trustees. There are a number of planned giving options that will meet your individual financial needs and provide significant tax benefits, all the while providing vital support for The Trustees of Reservations.

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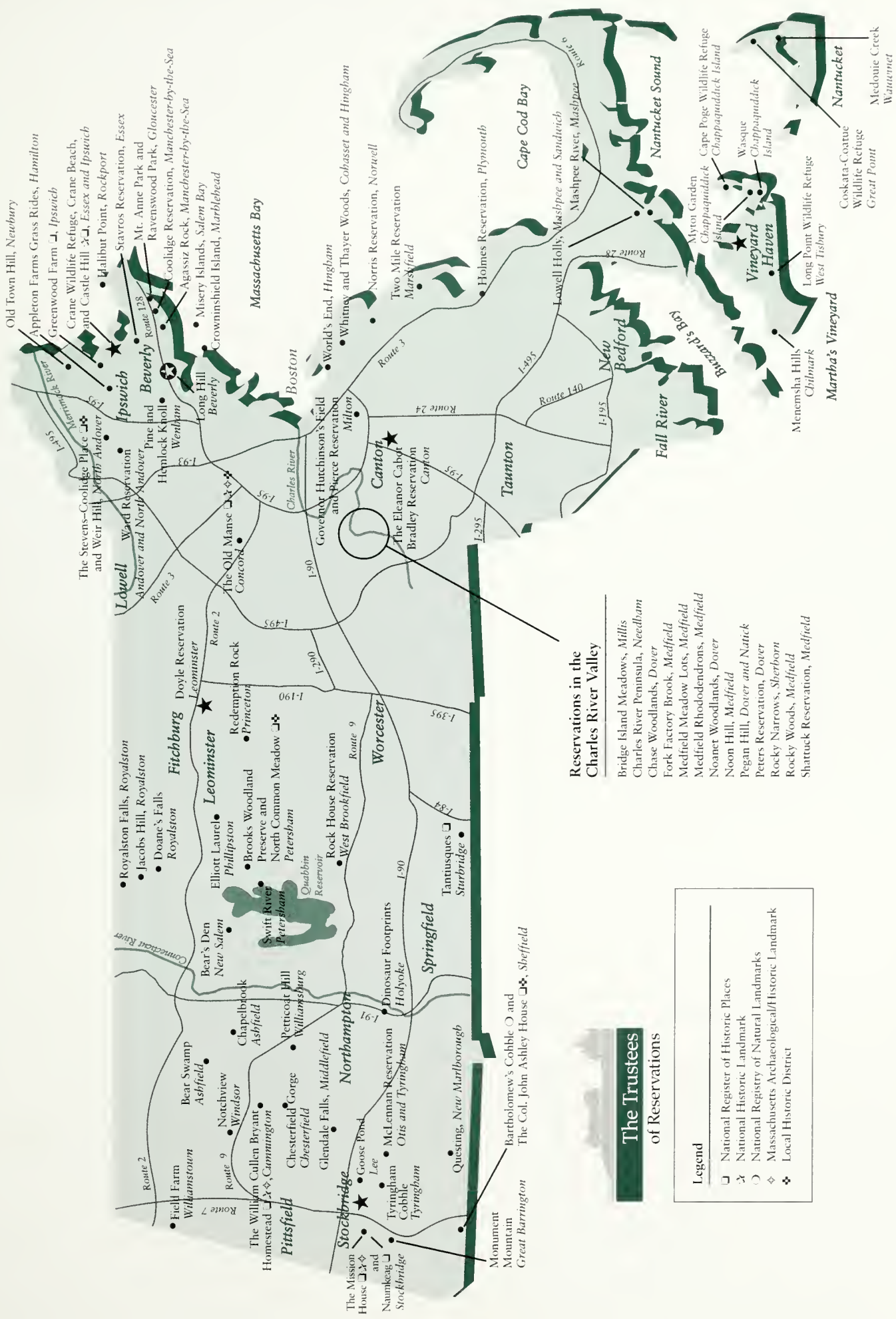
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Through March 31, 1998

Date First Acquired	Approximate Acreage	Date First Acquired	Approximate Acreage
1897 Mount Anne Park, Gloucester	87	1966 Fork Factory Brook, Medfield	135
1897 Rocky Narrows, Sherborn	227	1967 World's End, Hingham	251
1898 Governor Hutchinson's Field, Milton	10	1967 Wasque, Chappaquiddick	200
1899 Monument Mountain, Great Barrington	503	1968 Bear's Den, New Salem	6
1905 Petticoat Hill, Williamsburg	60	1968 Bear Swamp, Ashfield	284.5
1928 The William Cullen Bryant Homestead, Cummington	195	1968 Weir Hill, North Andover	194
1929 Chesterfield Gorge, Chesterfield	166	1968 Medfield Meadow Lots, Medfield	16
1933 Whitney and Thayer Woods, Cohasset and Hingham	818	1970 Shattuck Reservation, Medfield	245
1934 Medfield Rhododendrons, Medfield	196	1970 Norris Reservation, Norwell	117
1934 Halibut Point, Rockport	12	1970 Appleton Farms Grass Rides, Hamilton	259
1935 Dinosaur Footprints, Holyoke	8	1974 Coskata-Coatue Wildlife Refuge, Nantucket	1117
1935 Misery Islands, Salem Bay	87	1974 Bridge Island Meadows, Medfield	80
1936 Pine and Hemlock Knoll, Wenham	14	1974 The Crane Wildlife Refuge, Ipswich & Essex	680
1939 The Old Manse, Concord	9	1975 Brooks Woodland Preserve, Petersham	518
1940 Ward Reservation, Andover & North Andover	694	1975 Jacobs Hill, Royalston	173
1941 Elliot Laurel, Phillipston	33	1975 Greenwood Farm, Ipswich	216
1942 Rocky Woods, Medfield	491	1975 North Common Meadow, Petersham	25
1942 Lowell Holly, Mashpee & Sandwich	135	1976 Medouie Creek, Nantucket	5
1944 Holmes Reservation, Plymouth	26	1976 Mytoi Garden, Chappaquiddick	14
1945 The Crane Memorial Reservation, Ipswich	1,399	1977 McLennan Reservation, Otis & Tyringham	594
1946 Bartholomew's Cobble & The Col. John Ashley House, Sheffield	294	1979 Long Hill, Beverly	114
1948 The Mission House, Stockbridge	.5	1979 Long Point Wildlife Refuge, West Tisbury	632
1951 Royalston Falls, Royalston	205	1981 Doyle Reservation, Leominster	39
1952 Old Town Hill, Newbury	495	1983 Swift River, Petersham	439
1952 Redemption Rock, Princeton	.25	1984 Noanet Woodlands, Dover	695
1955 Crowninshield Island, Marblehead	5	1984 Field Farm, Williamstown	316
1956 Pegan Hill, Dover and Natick	32	1986 Stavros Reservation, Essex	74
1957 Agassiz Rock, Manchester-by-the-Sea	101	1986 Goose Pond, Lee	112
1957 Pierce Reservation, Milton	4	1988 Peters Reservation, Dover	97
1959 Cape Poge Wildlife Refuge, Chappaquiddick	516	1991 The Eleanor Cabot Bradley Reservation, Canton	82
1959 Doane's Falls, Royalston	46	1992 Coolidge Reservation, Manchester-by-the-Sea	64
1959 Mashpee River, Mashpee	243	1993 Ravenswood Park, Gloucester	500
1959 Naumkeag, Stockbridge	46	1993 Rock House Reservation, West Brookfield	75
1959 Noon Hill, Medfield	204	1993 Chase Woodlands, Dover	85
1960 Charles River Peninsula, Needham	30	1994 Two Mile Reservation, Marshfield	68
1962 The Stevens-Coolidge Place, North Andover	91	1996 Questing, New Marlborough	438
1962 Tantiusques, Sturbridge	55		
1963 Tyringham Cobble, Tyringham	206		
1964 Chapelbrook, Ashfield	173		
1964 Glendale Falls, Middlefield	60		
1966 Notchview, Windsor	3,108		
1966 Menemsha Hills, Chilmark	211		
		Total Reservations	78
		Total Acres Protected	20,255.25*

*Does not include property owned by The Trustees of Reservations but not part of a reservation: 135 acres in Ipswich; 32 acres in Gloucester; and 48 acres in Stockbridge. In addition, the Massachusetts Land Conservation Trust (MLCT), a legally separate charitable corporation with a board of directors appointed by The Trustees, currently owns 11 acres in North Andover, 10 acres in Dover, 56 acres in Tyngsboro, and 1/3 interest in the Holbrook Property in Rutland.



Reservations in the Charles River Valley

- Bridge Island Meadows, Millis
- Charles River Peninsula, Needham
- Chase Woodlands, Dover
- Fork Factory Brook, Medfield
- Medfield Meadow Lots, Medfield
- Medfield Rhododendrons, Medfield
- Noanet Woodlands, Dover
- Noon Hill, Medfield
- Pegan Hill, Dover and Natick
- Peters Reservation, Dover
- Rocky Narrows, Sherborn
- Rocky Woods, Medfield
- Shattuck Reservation, Medfield

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Legend

- National Register of Historic Places
- ✕ National Historic Landmark
- National Registry of Natural Landmarks
- ◇ Massachusetts Archaeological/Historic Landmark
- ❖ Local Historic District

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A young boy explores the Mashpee River in Mashpee.

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